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Season Report for the Week ending Saturday the 5th March 1898.

Districts.	Rainfall at—	Rainfall: Present week.	Rainfall: Average for corresponding week of the past three years.	Rainfall: Total from the beginning of the present calendar year.	Rainfall: Average for the past three years up to end of present week.	Price of food grains in seers per rupee; and market fluctuations in the prices of food grains.	Market how supplied.	Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects, or other natural calamities.	Prospects of season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient; areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.	Public health.	Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, &c.
		I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.						
angalore ...	Bangalore C. & M. Sta.	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 34	This week. Past week. Seers. Seers.	Well.	The standing crops are reported to be in fair condition. Vaisaki paddy and sugar-cane were sown in parts of the district. Kartika paddy and sugar-cane were harvested.	Fair.	Generally good.	Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.
	" City & Tk....	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 14	Rice 6¾ 6¾.					
	Hoskote	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 18	Ragi 17 17.					
	Dodballapur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 20	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Nelamangala	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 48	Horse-gram 10½ 10½.					
	Kankanhalli	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 12	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Magadi	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 31						
	Channapatna	... ...	... ...	... ...	30 ... 9						
	Anekal	... ...	... ...	... ...	69 ... 42						
	Devanhalli	... ...	... ...	... ...	90						
	Closepe	... ...	... ...	... ...	 12						
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olar ...	Kolar	... ...	... ...	... ...	... 12	Rice 7 to 8¼ 7 to 9.	Well.	The standing crops are reported to be in fair condition. Sugar-cane, Vaisaki paddy and chillies were sown in parts. Sugar-cane, paddy, avare, togari and horse gram were harvested in some places.	Generally good.	Good.	Water and fodder available.
	Bowringpet	... ...	... ...	... ...	48	Ragi 16 to 21 16 to 21.					
	Chintamani	... ...	... ...	... ...	 6	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Mulbagal	... ...	... ...	... ...	 26	Horse-gram 10 to 13 10 to 13.					
	Sidlaghatta	... ...	... ...	... ...	40	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Chikballapur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...						
	Bagepalli	... ...	... ...	... ...	 11						
	Goribidnur	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...						
	Malur	... ...	... ...	... ...	 3						
	Srinivaspur	... ...	... ...	... ...	25 ... 1						
	Gudibanda	... ...	... ...	... ...	 7						
					... ...						
	Tumkur	... ...	... ...	... ...	 12	Rice 7 to 10½ 7 to 10¼.	Well.	The standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Cow gram, pigeon pea, paddy, castor and Bengal gram were harvested and Vaisaki paddy was sown in some places.	Good.	Do	Condition of cattle good. Water and fodder available.
					 5	Ragi 18 to 32 18 to 32.					
						(*Eleusine corocana.*)					

Prices-Current (*Retail*) of Food Grains, and Salt in the Province of Mysore during the fortnight ending the 28th February 1898.

Quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas, *vide* Government of India No. 1—21, dated 10th February 1874.

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Wheat.						Barley.						Rice, best sort.						Rice, common.					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
28th February 1898.			Seers.	Chittaks.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	7	5	6	5	7	8	6	13	6	9	7	0	6	9	6	13	6	12	7	1	7	1	7	12
	2	Kolar ...	4	4	4	4	8	0	4	8	4	8	7	0	6	8	6	8	7	4	7	8	7	8	8	8
	3	Tumkur ...	6	8	6	8	7	8	6	8	6	8	7	0	6	8	6	7	7	4	7	8	7	8	8	8
	4	Mysore ...	7	11	7	11	7	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0	7	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0
	5	Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0	7	8	8	0	9	4	8	0	8	0
	6	Shimoga ...	8	11	8	2	6	13	...	...	6	0	8	0	8	8	8	8	8	8	10	0	10	0	9	0
	7	Kadur ...	6	0	6	0	7	0	6	0	6	0	...	...	8	6	8	6	8	6	12	10	12	10	11	9
	8	Chitaldrug ...	9	0	9	0	9	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	12	0	12	0	12	0
		Average ...	7	1	6	13	7	10	6	5	6	10	7	9	7	14	7	14	8	1	9	7	9	5	9	6

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Javar or Cholam, (*Sorghum Vulgare.*)						Bajra or Cumbu, *Pennisetum typhoideum.*					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
28th February 1898.			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	15	12	15	12	14	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	...	...	...	...	8	8	18	0	18	0	10	8
	3	Tumkur ...	16	0	16	0	17	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	4	Mysore ...	25	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	24	0
	5	Hassan ...	...	...	18	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	21	0	21	0	16	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	20	0	20	0	32	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	22	0	20	0	16	0	16	0	16	0	15	0
		Average ...	19	15	18	11	16	5	18	0	18	0	17	6

Quantity per rupee in seer of 80 tolas, *vide* Government of India No. 1—21, dated 10th February 1874.

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Marna or Ragi, *Eleusine Coracana.*						Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria Italica.*)					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
28th February 1898.			Seers.	Chittaks.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	17	12	16	12	19	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	18	0	18	0	20	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Tumkur ...	20	0	20	0	22	0	30	0	30	0	...	...
	4	Mysore ...	20	0	18	2	20	0	...	...	...	...	22	0
	5	Hassan ...	22	0	22	0	24	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	24	0	22	5	19	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	25	0	23	0	22	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	22	0	22	0	20	0	16	0	12	0	20	0
		Average ...	21	2	20	4	20	15	23	0	21	0	17	7

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Gram, Chonna, Chola Kadale or Sunage (*Cicer Arietinum.*)						Indian corn or Maize (*Zea Mays.*)					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
28th February 1898.			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	7	5	7	5	9	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	7	0	7	0	7	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Tumkur ...	7	0	7	0	9	0	...	...	...	...	8	8
	4	Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	5	Hassan ...	7	11	7	11	9	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	8	15	6	6	12	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	8	0	6	0	10	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	10	0	10	0	10	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Average ...	7	12	7	7	9	8	...	...	...	...	8	8

Fortnight ending—	No.	District.	Arhar or Thur, Cadjan Pea. (*Cajanus Indicus.*)						Salt.					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
28th February 1898.			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	11	0	12	9	11	8	9	15	9	8	9	8
	2	Kolar ...	11	0	11	0	13	4	10	0	10	0	10	0
	3	Tumkur ...	10	8	11	0	13	0	10	8	10	8	10	8
	4	Mysore ...	10	0	10	8	15	8	10	8	10	8	10	8
	5	Hassan ...	12	0	12	0	14	0	9	8	9	0	8	8
	6	Shimoga ...	13	10	13	10	21	0	10	8	10	8	10	8
	7	Kadur ...	11	0	11	0	14	0	9	0	9	0	9	0
	8	Chitaldrug ...	13	0	13	0	13	0	8	0	8	0	9	0
		Average ...	11	8	11	13	14	7	9	12	9	10	9	10

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											(*Ciser arietinum.*)				
	Kunigal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7					
	Koratagere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
	Turuvekere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15					
	Huliyar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					
'sore ...	Mysore	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	24	Rice 9 9¼.	Well.	The standing crops in the Nagamangala taluk and sugar-cane in some parts of the Krishnarajpete and Mandya taluks are reported to be in good condition.	Generally good.	Generally good.	Cattle healthy. Water a fodder available.
	Chamrajnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	...	59	Ragi 19 19.					
	Seringapatam	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Hunsur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Horse-					
	Yedatore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	gram 12⅓ 12.					
	Heggaddevankote	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Gundlupet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Nanjangud	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11						
	T. Narsipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	...	56						
	Malvalli	...	...	...	...	...	1	37	...	...						
	Mandya	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Krishnarajpete	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Nagamangala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
ssan ...	Hassan	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	Rice 10 to 11¼ 10 to 12½.	Well.	The standing crops, *viz.*, paddy in Manjarabad and sugar-cane and Bengal gram in the Arkalgud taluks are reported to be in good condition. Bengal gram is being harvested in the Hassan taluk.	Favorable.	Do	Water and fodder sufficie
	Manjarabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	Ragi 27½ 28.					
	Arkalgud	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Belur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	Horse-					
	Channarayapatna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	gram 12 12.					
	Arsikere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Holé-Narsipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53						
	Alur sub-taluk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5						
imoga ...	Shimoga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	Rice 11 to 15 11 to 15.	Well.	The standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, Bengal and green grams are reported to be in good condition and sugar-cane is being harvested.	Fair.	Good.	Fair.
	Channagiri	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	Ragi 20 to 35 18 to 35.					
	Honnali	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Shikarpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jola 20 to 30 20 to 30.					
	Sorab	...	...	...	...	...	...	41	...	...	(*Sorghum vulgare*)					
	Sagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Tirthahalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Kumsi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
dur ...	Chikmagalur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	Rice 9 to 14 10 to 14.	Well.	The standing crops, *i. e*, sugar-cane and pepper are reported to be in good condition. Barley and sugar-cane are being harvested in parts of the district.	Generally good.	Do	Cattle healthy. Water a fodder sufficient.
	Kadur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	Ragi 19 to 24 18 to 24.					
	Tarikere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Koppa	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	Horse-					
	Mudgere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	gram 10 to 12 11 to 12.					
	Yedahalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Sringeri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
-italdrug...	Chitaldrug	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	Rice 7 to 11 7 to 11.	Well.	The standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Horse-gram, cotton, togari and bili jola were harvested.	Do	Generally good.	Water and fodder availabl
	Challakere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	Ragi 20 to 28 20 to 28.					
	Hiriyur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Holalkere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Jola 16 to 20 16 to 20.					
	Davangere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
	Molakalmuru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Jagalur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Hosdurga	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
	Harihar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						

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